

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/701,143  
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Applicant: Steven W. Holland  
Group Art Unit: 2192  
Examiner: WANG, Ben C.  
Title: LOW COST OPEN APPROACH FOR VEHICLE  
SOFTWARE INSTALLATION/UPDATING AND ON-  
BOARD DIAGNOSTICS  
Attorney Docket: GP-303630

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.1114  
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 15, 2007, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below. Applicant requests a continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 and includes herein this amendment as well as authorization to charge deposit account 07-0960 for the fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e).

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.